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CANTERBURY

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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FOR THE

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TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMEN

ARTHUR G. BROWN
NORMAN A. BROWN GEORGE D. PEVERLY
Clerk of the Board, ROBERT L. MUDGETT

TOWN CLERK

SABIN N. GUERTIN

TOWN TREASURER

C. EMERY MORRILL

TAX COLLECTOR

SABIN N. GUERTIN

ROAD AGENT

FRANK C. PLASTRIDGE

AUDITORS

PAUL N. SCRIPTURE MALCOLM L. WILKINS

HEALTH OFFICER

RICHARD DICKSON

FIRE WARDEN

CHARLES GILMAN

LIBRARIAN

LOUISA WALDRON

OVERSEER OF THE POOR

NORMAN A. BROWN

SCHOOL BOARD

ARTHUR G. BROWN, Chairman LINWOOD ROGERS
CHARLES GILMAN

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

ALBERT A. VOGEL

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

MARGERY RUGGLES, Treasurer

LOUISA WALDRON

CHARLES S. RANCOUR

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDSRAYMOND GLINES CATHERINE A. DICKSON
JOHN WENTWORTH**MODERATOR**

ELBERT FARRAR

SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLISTLUCILLE KEELER RAYMOND GLINES
CHARLES GILMAN**POLICE OFFICERS**ALBI CASS
WILLIAM COCHRANE**BUDGET COMMITTEE**HERMAN R. COLBY ARTHUR L. ROGERS
RAYMOND GLINES CARL A. THUNBERG
J. RALPH GRAHAM, SR. EMERY WHEELER
RALPH R. NOYES MALCOLM L. WILKINS**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Chief—CHARLES WALDRON

First Deputy—G. L. TALLMAN

Second Deputy—COLIN HEATH

Captain—ALBI CASS

Lieutenants—ARTHUR G. BROWN and WM. COCHRANE

Moderator—NORMAN BROWN

Treasurer and Clerk—GEORGE BATCHELDER

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Canterbury in the Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Canterbury on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the Town will vote to allow 2% discount on 1951 property taxes if paid within thirty days from date of tax bill.
5. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-one.

ARTHUR G. BROWN,
NORMAN A. BROWN,
GEORGE D. PEVERLY,
Selectmen of Canterbury.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ARTHUR G. BROWN,
NORMAN A. BROWN,
GEORGE D. PEVERLY,
Selectmen of Canterbury.

AUDITORS' REPORT

The accounts of the Library, Trustees of Trust Funds, Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Treasurer of the Fire Department, Highway Department and Tax Collector have been examined and generally found properly vouched and correctly cast. We wish to call attention to the following items, however:

1. The bond of the newest Trustee of the Trust Funds has not been signed; therefore it is not legal.
2. There is no bond for the Treasurer of the Fire Department.
3. The Town Treasurer and the Tax Collector are unable to reconcile small amounts in two months (namely May and November). The Treasurer claims that more money was received than the Tax Collectors reported. The latter's accounts show his figures to be correct.
4. The Valley Trust Company statement shows \$10.00 more in the Treasurer's account than he is able to show.
5. The Tax Collector's report on the 1950 levy shows a debit of \$2.44 in excess of his credits.
6. The Tax Collector's report of tax sales could not be reconciled debits against credits.
7. The Auditors were unable to make their report before this date, since all the accounts were not in order in time to permit earlier examination. We suggest that the accounts be made ready for the Auditors directly after January 1, in the future.

MALCOLM L. WILKINS,
PAUL N. SCRIPTURE,
Auditors, Town of Canterbury

February 12, 1951

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY

Estimates of revenue and expenditures for the ensuing year, January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951 inclusive, compared with actual revenue and expenditures of the previous year, 1950.

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1950.	Estimated Rev- enue, Ensu- ing Year, 1951.	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest & Div. Tax	\$365.25	\$300.00		\$65.25
Railroad Tax	94.10	90.00		.40
Savings Bank Tax	82.56	80.00		2.56
Reimbursement Forest Lands	15.62	15.00		.62
Reimbursement Old Age Assistance	5.10			5.10
Reimbursement Growing Wood and Timber	2,038.63	1,500.00		538.63
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Dog Licenses	285.00	225.00		60.00
Filing Fees	14.00			14.00
Rent from Town Hall & Bldgs.	38.00	50.00	12.00	
Shakers' Gift	500.00	500.00		
Motor Veh. Permits	1,810.46	1,500.00		310.46
Sale of Town Property	135.00	225.00	90.00	
Interest on Taxes	353.94	300.00		53.94
Property Taxes (Town)	19,537.03	14,933.77		4,603.26
Poll Taxes	592.00	500.00		92.00
	\$25,866.69	\$20,218.77	\$102.00	\$5,749.92
The 1950 Town tax levy was Est. Town tax for 1951 as above			\$16,071.75 14,933.77	
Decrease for 1951			\$1,137.98	

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures, Previous Year, 1950.	Estimated Expenditures En-suing Year, 1951	Increase	Decrease
General Government:				
Town Officers' Sal.	\$1,050.00	\$985.00		\$65.00
Town Officers' Exp.	571.17	600.00	28.83	
Election & Registration	249.90	75.00		174.90
Town Clerk Fees	241.80	240.00		1.80
Exp. Town Bldgs.	262.48	425.00	162.52	
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	21.30	25.00	3.70	
Fire Department	700.00	700.00		
Blister Rust Control	400.00	400.00		
Civil Defense		500.00	500.00	
Health:				
Vital Statistics	20.00	20.00		
Town Dump	223.60	100.00		123.60
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Maintenance	5,004.51	5,000.00		4.51
General Exp. Highway Dept.	1,955.84	2,000.00	44.16	
Town Garage Expense	397.62	300.00		97.62
Town Road Aid	870.13	920.77	50.64	
Street Lighting	97.04	98.00	.96	
Elkins Public Library	500.00	450.00		50.00
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	437.38	100.00		337.38
Old Age Assistance	1,891.12	1,500.00		391.12
Patriotic Purposes:				
Old Home Day	25.00	25.00		
Memorial Day	35.00	35.00		
Cemetery Care	195.80	200.00	4.20	
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	71.25	50.00		21.25
On Long Term Notes	118.33	80.00		38.33
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
Long Term Notes	2,500.00	2,690.00	190.00	
County Tax	2,623.94	2,700.00	76.06	
	\$20,463.21	\$20,218.77	\$1,061.07	\$1,305.51

SUMMARY INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	\$496,980.00
Electric Plants (3)	63,570.00
Horses (37)	2,185.00
Oxen (2)	350.00
Cows (253)	36,535.00
Other Neat Stock (51)	5,400.00
Goats (11)	90.00
Hogs (2)	50.00
Fowls (5,720)	5,720.00
Portable Mills (2)	2,000.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	12,550.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks (7)	390.00
Stock in Trade	4,100.00
Total Valuation	\$629,920.00
Soldiers' Exemptions	34,670.00
	\$595,250.00

Town Tax Rate \$2.70 School Tax Rate \$3.70.	
Loss of School Tax on property paying to other towns	\$845.45
Town Property Tax	\$16,071.75
Poll Tax	514.00
School Tax	\$16,585.75
Total Property and Poll Tax	21,178.80
Tax assessed on Timber and wood cut prior to October 1	\$828.47
Recovery from State for loss of tax on growing wood and timber, due from State	1,210.16
	\$2,038.63

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,005.00
Town Officers' Expense	575.00
Election and Registration	225.00
Town Clerk Fees	200.00
Town Hall and Buildings	575.00
Police Department	25.00
Fire Department	700.00
Blister Rust Control	400.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Town Road Aid	870.13
Town Maintenance	3,000.00
Trade-in for New Truck	1,300.00
Repairs to Merrimack River Bridge	1,200.00
Town Garage Expense	350.00
Street Lighting	98.00
General Expense, Highway Department	2,200.00
Elkins Public Library	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,300.00
Town Poor	650.00
Memorial and Old Home Days	60.00
Cemetery Care	150.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	64.00
Interest on Notes Payable	175.00
Payments on Principal of Debt	2,500.00
Merrimack County Tax	2,623.94
Canterbury Schools	21,211.58
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	\$41,977.65
Expected Revenue, other than taxes	4,213.10
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Expected Revenue, from 1950 taxes	\$37,764.55
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**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF
APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**

	Approp.	Expend.
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,005.00	\$1,050.00
Town Officers' Expense	575.00	571.17
Election and Registration	225.00	249.90
Town Clerk Fees	200.00	241.80
Town Hall and Buildings	575.00	262.48
Police Department	25.00	21.30
Fire Department	700.00	700.00
Blister Rust Control	400.00	400.00
Vital Statistics	20.00	20.00
Town Road Aid	870.13	870.13
Town Maintenance	3,000.00	5,004.51
Trade-in for New Truck	1,300.00	1,300.00
Repairs to Merrimack River Bridge	1,200.00	452.00
Town Garage Expense	350.00	397.62
Street Lighting	98.00	97.04
General Expense, Highway Dept.	2,200.00	1,955.84
Elkins Public Library	500.00	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,300.00	1,891.12
Town Poor	650.00	437.38
Memorial and Old Home Days	60.00	60.00
Cemetery Care	150.00	195.80
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	64.00	.00
Interest on Notes Payable	175.00	189.58
Payments on Principal of Debt	2,500.00	2,500.00
Merrimack County Tax	2,623.94	2,623.94
School Tax	21,211.58	19,932.50
Cost of Pickard House		750.65
Cost of New Town Dump		223.60
		<hr/> \$41,977.65
		\$42,898.36

NON-BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES

Repairs to Sam Lake House	\$1,887.26
Fire Costs refunded	4,957.32
Dog License Costs	70.62
Advanced for Bounties	60.00
Class V Highway Funds	2,259.70
Road Agent's Revolving Fund	650.00
Taxes Bought by Town	1,812.50
Payment of Temporary Loans	10,000.00
Donations paid to Concord Hospital	67.42
 Total Payments	 \$64,663.18

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$6,523.53	
Road Agent's Revolving Fund		650.00
Uncollected Taxes and Liens	10,643.82	
Uncollected Timber Severance Tax	286.59	
Due from Sabin N. Guertin for Auto Permits	6.26	
Due from State:		
Loss of Tax on Growing Wood and Timber	1,210.16	
Loss of Tax on Forest Lands	15.62	
For Porcupine Bounties	29.75	
		----- \$19,365.73

LIABILITIES

Payable from 1950 Funds:

Balance of School Appropriation	\$13,211.58	
Bal. Merrimack River Bridge Approp.	748.00	
Sabin N. Guertin, Tax Col. Salary	300.00	
Sabin N. Guertin, Town Clerk Salary	85.00	
Sabin N. Guertin, Tax Col., Over- remittance	7.20	
Road Agent's Bank Account Ser- vice Charge	3.20	

		\$14,354.98

Notes Payable:

For Tilton Road Bridge	1,500.00	
For Walters Snowfighter	1,690.00	
For Town Garage	2,462.25	

	\$20,007.23
Excess of Liabilities	641.50
	—————
	\$19,365.73
Excess of Liabilities, Jan. 1, 1950	\$1,926.09
Excess of Liabilities, Dec. 31, 1950	641.50
	—————
Reduction of Excess	\$1,284.59

SCHEDULE OF NOTES PAYABLE

National State Capital Bank:

Snowfighter Truck Debt, due Dec. 12, 1951	\$1,690.00
Bridge Note, due Dec. 27, 1951	1,000.00
Bridge Note, due Dec. 27, 1952	500.00
Debt for construction of town garage, payable from income of Sam W. Lake Trust	2,462.25
	—————
	\$5,652.25

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and building	\$3,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	300.00
Library, land and building	8,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
Fire Department Equipment	3,000.00
Highway Department, land & building	13,500.00
Equipment	13,000.00
Materials and Supplies	250.00
Schools, land and buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	1,500.00
Sam Lake Residence, land & bldgs.	2,000.00
Pickard House, building	750.00
Town Dump, land & improvements	225.00
Blacksmith Lot	100.00
	----- \$53,625.00

Land acquired through tax deeds:

Formerly of Charles Emery	\$200.00
Louis Kelso	250.00
Elmer Twombly	100.00
D. Wheeler	900.00
J. Mooney	200.00
Ida Chase	750.00
John Prescott	200.00
Frank Hanson	1,000.00
William Morrill	800.00
William Dearborn	250.00
Sylvia Glines	100.00
Bertha Wheeler	50.00
Enola Colby Estate	60.00
Felix Laro Estate	165.00
Felix Laro Estate	165.00
George Nevin	440.00
	----- \$5,465.00
	----- \$59,090.00

REPORT OF SABIN N. GUERTIN,
TOWN CLERK

DR.

Automobile Permits collected	\$1,810.46
Dog Licenses collected	217.00
Filing Fees collected	14.00
Advance from Treasurer for Bounties	60.00

	\$2,101.46

CR.

Remitted to the Treasurer	\$2,071.71
Paid for Porcupine Bounties	29.75

	\$2,101.46

RECEIVED FROM TREASURER

For Dog License Fees (1949)	\$22.80
For Dog License Fees (1950)	17.80
For Automobile Permit Fees	219.00
For Vital Statistics Fees	20.00

	\$279.60

In addition to dog licenses shown above, Wm. J. Cochrane collected and remitted to the Treasurer	\$68.00
Collected by Town Clerk, as above	217.00

Total Dog Licenses	\$285.00

**REPORT OF SABIN W. GUERTIN,
TAX COLLECTOR**

For the period January 1, 1950 to March 25, 1950, inclusive

TAX LEVY OF 1949

DR.

Uncoll. Property Tax, Jan. 1, 1950	\$11,208.89
Uncoll. Poll Tax, Jan. 1, 1950	258.00
Added Property Tax	23.36
Added Poll Tax	14.00
Interest Collected	50.57
	\$11,554.82

CR.

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Tax	\$3,487.69
Poll Tax	130.00
Interest Collected	50.57
Abatement (West Springfield Trust Co.)	116.80
Uncollected Taxes, March 25, 1950:	
Property Tax	7,627.76
Poll Tax	142.00
	\$11,554.82

LEVY 1948

DR.

Uncollected Taxes, January 1, 1950:

Property Tax	\$42.39
Poll Tax (none)	
Interest Collected	.85
	\$43.24

CR.

Remitted to Treasurer—Property Tax	3.15
Interest Collected	.85
Uncollected Property Tax, Mar. 25, 1950	39.24
	\$43.24

LEVY 1947

DR.

Uncollected Taxes, January 1, 1950:

Property Tax	\$ 4.12
Poll Tax	6.00
	—————
	\$10.12

CR.

No Collections Jan. 1, 1950 to Mar. 25, 1950

LEVY 1946

Uncollected Poll Tax	\$ 2.00
	—————
	\$2.00

UNREDEEMED TAX LIENS

January 1, 1950

Levy 1948	\$582.46
Levy 1947	116.38
Levy 1946	50.80
Previous Years	41.07
	—————
	\$790.71

No collections, January 1, 1950
to March 25, 1950.

To the Board of Selectmen
of the Town of Canterbury, N. H.

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that we have examined the records of Sabin W. Guertin, Tax Collector, for the period January 1, 1950 to March 25, 1950, inclusive, and find his accounts correctly cast and properly vouched. All monies received during this period have been duly turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM L. WILKINS,
PAUL N. SCRIPTURE,

March 25, 1950.

Town Auditors.

**REPORT OF SABIN N. GUERTIN,
TAX COLLECTOR**

For the period Mar. 26, 1950 to Dec. 31, 1950, inclusive

LEVY 1950

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Tax	\$37,250.55
Polls	514.00
Added Taxes	185.60
Added Polls	22.00
Interest Collected	4.31
	\$37,976.46

CR.

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Tax	\$28,213.41
Polls	348.00
Interest collected	4.31
Abatements allowed—polls	2.00
Discount allowed	278.32
Uncollected Prop. Tax, Dec. 31, 1950	8,944.42
Uncollected Polls, Dec. 31, 1950	186.00
	\$37,976.46

LEVY 1949

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$7,627.76
Polls	142.00
Added Taxes	186.88
Added Polls	10.00
Interest collected	219.96
	\$8,186.60

CR.

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Tax	7,639.44
Polls	114.00
Interest collected	219.96
Abatements allowed—polls	30.00
Uncollected Prop. Tax, Dec. 31, 1950	175.20
Uncollected Polls, Dec. 31, 1950	8.00
	—————
	\$8,186.60

LEVY 1948

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Tax	39.24
Interest collected	15.35
Added Tax	87.20
	—————
	\$141.79

CR.

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Tax	\$126.44
Interest collected	15.35
	—————
	\$141.79

1947 LEVY

DR.

Uncollected Taxes, March 26, 1950:

Peter Gagnon, property tax	\$4.08
Wm. & Fred Thompson, property tax	.04
Polls: Laura Bernier, John Cole,	
Mrs. C. Nichols	6.00
	—————
	\$10.12

No Collections

1946 LEVY

Uncollected Poll (Milicent Fife)	\$2.00	\$2.00
Uncollected		

**TIMBER SEVERANCE TAX
1950 LEVY**

Dr.

Tax Committed to Collector	\$28.47	\$828.47
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Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$541.88	
Uncollected, Dec. 31, 1950	286.59	-----
		\$828.47

TAX SALES ACCOUNT

Levy of.....	1949	1948	Prev. Years
Taxes sold to Town	\$1,812.50		
Unredeemed, March 25, 1950		\$582.46	\$208.25
Interest collected after sale	7.80	30.60	24.50
TOTAL DEBITS	\$1,820.30	\$613.06	\$232.75

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$759.07	\$+24.38	\$157.93
Abatement allowed	6.65		
Unredeemed Taxes close of Dec. 31, 1950	1,054.58	188.68	74.82
TOTAL CREDITS	\$1,820.30	\$613.06	\$232.75

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

The major expense in regard to Town Poor was for a party several years moved out of town, and the Town's liability was questioned by the Selectmen throughout most of 1949, when it became apparent that we might have to pay. Late in 1949 a final ruling from the office of the Attorney General fixed the liability on the Town as being the last place the claimant had established five-years residence. Provision was therefore made in the 1950 budget.

The smaller item covers transportation charges and State handling charges on government surplus commodities, made available to the Town at no other expense. A complete listing of all shipments would take much space, but a summary shows that food valued at approximately \$1,000.00 was distributed. This consisted of several hundred pounds of cheese, nearly half a ton each of dried milk and butter, about 700 pounds of dried eggs, and several tons of potatoes.

In starting 1951, cheese and butter are no longer available but it is understood that potatoes, eggs and milk will be available for several more months, at least. So the distribution program is planned to continue as long as there are materials available.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Appropriated	\$650.00
Paid Grafton County Commissioners relief case with Canterbury liability	\$38.73
Paid Faltin Motor Transport ship- ping charges, and State handling charges on government surplus commodities	56.65
	437.38
Surplus-Excess of approp. over expend.	\$212.62

NORMAN A. BROWN, *Overseer.*

TREASURER'S REPORT

C. EMERY MORRILL, Town Treasurer

Balance on hand, January 1, 1950	\$6,059.89
Rec'd from Sabin W. Guertin, Tax Collector	3,672.26
Rec'd from Sabin N. Guertin, Tax Collector	38,571.37
Rec'd from Sabin N. Guertin, Town Clerk	2,071.71
Rec'd from Wm. J. Cochrane (Dog Licenses)	68.00
From State:	
For Class V Highways	2,259.70
Porcupine Bounties	9.00
Interest and Dividend Tax	365.25
Savings Bank Tax	82.56
Railroad Tax	94.10
Old Age Assistance Refund	5.10

From Local Sources and Unclassified:

Nat'l State Capital Bank, Temporary Loans	10,000.00
Income from Sam W. Lake Trust Fund	1,576.43
Shakers' Gift	500.00
Rent of Town Hall	38.00
Rent of Sam Lake House	70.00
Sale of Old Tractor	125.00
Sale of Town Dump Land (James Guertin)	50.00
Sale of Land (Ralph R. Noyes)	50.00
Sale of Land (G. L. Tallman)	35.00
Sale of Sand (R. W. Keeler, Jr.)	3.00
Revolver Permits	1.00
A. D. Cass, return of revolvent fund	300.00
Damage to Lake House, collected	5.00
Contributions to Concord Hospital	67.42
Refund on Workman's Comp. and Lia. Ins.	106.40
B. & M. R. R., Refund of Fire Costs	4,920.12

Town of Boscawen, Refund of Fire Costs	37.20
Canterbury Schools, for work at Kezer School	43.20

Selectmen's Orders paid	\$71,186.71
	64,663.18

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1950	\$6,523.53

(The Valley Trust Co. bank statement shows an apparent excess of \$10.00 in addition to the above balance at Dec. 31, 1950, the source of which is subject to future determination.)

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,050.00
Town Officers' Expense	571.17
Election and Registration	249.90
Town Hall and Buildings	262.48
Cost of Pickard House	750.65
Repairs to Lake House	1,887.26
Cost of New Town Dump	223.60
Equipment Purchased (Truck)	1,300.00
Fire Department on Appropriation	617.55
Forest Fires	5,039.77
Elkins Public Library, Appropriation	500.00
Dog License Costs	70.62
Town Clerk Fees	241.80
Cemetery Care	195.80
Police Department	21.30
Memorial and Old Home Days	60.00
Porcupine Bounties (Advance to Town Clerk)	60.00
Street Lighting	97.04

Town Road Aid, Appropriation	870.13
Class V Highway Construction	2,259.70
Town Road Maintenance	5,004.51
General Expense Highway Department	1,955.84
Repairs to Merrimack River Bridge (on approp.)	452.00
Town Garage Expense	397.62
Road Agent's Revolving Fund	650.00
Old Age Assistance	1,891.12
Town Poor	437.38
County Tax	2,623.94
Schools, Balance 1949 Account	11,932.50
Schools, on 1950 Appropriation	8,000.00
Taxes Bought by Town	1,812.50
Notes Payable (Temporary Loans)	10,000.00
Long Term Notes on Town Debt	2,500.00
Interest on Notes Payable	189.58
Blister Rust Control	400.00
Donations received and paid to Concord Hospital	67.42
Vital Statistics Fees	20.00
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	\$64,663.18

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Arthur G. Brown, Selectman	\$100.00
Norman A. Brown, Selectman	100.00
George D. Peverly, Selectman	100.00
C. Emery Morrill, Town Treasurer	150.00
Sabin W. Guertin, Tax Collector	300.00
Sabin N. Guertin, Town Clerk	85.00
Robert L. Mudgett, Clerk of the Board	150.00
Colin M. Heath, Town Auditor	20.00
Malcolm L. Wilkins, Town Auditor	20.00
Raymond Glines, Treas. of Trust Funds	25.00

	\$1,050.00

Town Officers' Expense

Hazen Printing Co., Town Reports	\$284.70
Hazen Printing Co., Stationery	9.25
Sabin N. Guertin, Tax Collector, Postage and Supplies	12.15
Sabin N. Guertin, Expense State Tax Meetings	27.07
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., Supplies	18.35
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Supplies	13.74
Sargent Brothers, Tax Bills	17.75
N. H. Assessors Association Dues	2.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association Dues	2.00
Valley Trust Co., Check Book & Stamp	5.39
Dustin & Smith Agency, Town Of- ficers' Bonds	48.80
Sherburne & Parker, Town Treas. Bond	20.00
Katherine Crowley, Reg., Deed Records	20.72
Vira Holmes, Reg., List of Estates	.30
Arthur G. Brown, Expense at Tax Meetings	10.00

Norman A. Brown, Expense at Tax Meetings	10.00
George D. Peverly, Expense at Tax Meetings	10.00
G. H. Giles, Postmaster, Postage	58.95

	\$571.17

Election and Registration

Hazen Printing Co., Ballots and Check Lists	40.50
Monitor-Patriot Co., Advertising	4.00
Ida Higgins, Ballot Clerk	19.20
Geo. A. Batchelder, Ballot Clerk	6.40
Albert Vogel, Ballot Clerk	6.40
Herbert Lamprey, Ballot Clerk	19.20
Linwood Rogers, Ballot Clerk	6.40
G. L. Tallman, Ballot Clerk	6.40
R. W. Keeler, Jr., Ballot Clerk	6.40
Charles Gilman, Supervisor of Check List	45.00
Lucille Keeler, Supervisor of Check List	45.00
Raymond Glines, Supervisor of Check List	45.00

	\$249.90

Town Clerk Fees

Sabin N. Guertin, Auto Permits	\$219.00
Dog License Fees (1949)	22.80

	\$241.80

Town Hall and Buildings

Grange Mut. Fire Ins. Co., Ins. T. Hall	90.00
Jackman & Lang, Inc., Liability Ins. T. Hall	46.25
Concord Elec. Co., Elec. Service, T. Hall	34.96

A. B. Strom, Tuning Piano	7.00
Charles Rancour	24.00
George D. Peverly, Wood	17.00
Herbert Lamprey, Work on Grounds	6.00
R. W. Keeler, Jr., Repairs, Town Hall	26.00
G. H. Giles & Co., Supplies, Town Hall	11.27
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	\$262.48

Police Department

Wm. J. Cochrane, Police Duty	12.80
Albi D. Cass, Police Duty	8.50
	—————
	\$21.30

Fire Department

Paid on Appropriation	617.55
Cost of Forest Fire, August 16	28.25
Ferns Flying Service, for Observation	54.00
B. & M. R.R., Fire Expense, not refunded	.20
	—————
	\$700.00

B & M Railroad Forest Fire

Paid to :

Town of Pittsfield	\$183.50
Town of Barnstead	13.30
Town of Loudon	140.05
Town of Salisbury	110.52
Town of Boscawen	1,061.06
Town of Bow	279.17
Town of Dunbarton	90.40
City of Franklin	531.00
Town of Tilton	534.00
Town of Warner	297.90
Town of Webster	137.00
Canterbury Fire Department Payroll	1,476.68

Albert Vogel, for Shovels	13.43
G. H. Giles & Co., Supplies	51.12
	\$4,920.12

The above amount was refunded to the Town of Canterbury, by the B. & M. Railroad. See Treasurer's report.

Boscawen Forest Fire	
Canterbury Payroll for Fire in Boscawen	37.20
(Refunded by Town of Boscawen)	\$37.20

Blister Rust Control	
John H. Foster, State Forester, Appropriation	400.00
	\$400.00

Porcupine Bounties	
Sabin N. Guertin, Advance for Bounties	60.00
	60.00

Dog Licenses	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Notices & Tags	26.82
W. J. Cochrane, Collecting Dog Tax	26.00
Sabin N. Guertin, Fees	17.80
	\$70.62

Donations to Concord Hospital	
Public Donations received and remitted to Concord Hospital	67.42
	\$67.42

Vital Statistics	
Sabin N. Guertin, Fees	20.00
	\$20.00

Town Road Aid	
State of New Hampshire, Appropriation	870.13
	\$870.13

Cost of New Town Dump	
Walter Pickard, Land Purchase	50.00
A. B. Nelson, Grading Road	88.00

Frank C. Plastridge, Labor	12.00
Arthur Pickard, Labor	22.40
Walter Pickard, Labor	9.60
Anson Morrill, Labor	22.40
John Wentworth, Labor	9.60
Walter Hatch, Labor	9.60
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	\$223.60

Town Garage Expense

Ferns Oil Co., Fuel Oil	303.42
Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	67.20
Concord Lumber Co., Lumber	7.81
Geo. A. Batchelder, Install Faucet	2.75
Orr & Rolfe Co., Oil Burner Service	16.44
	—————
	\$397.62

Town Maintenance and Construction

Grading and Resurfacing Baptist Rd.	\$2,082.81
Culvert for Tilton Back Road	50.00
State of N. H. for Excess of TRA Costs	126.89
Summer Road Maintenance	2,462.31
Winter Road Maintenance	2,542.20
Repairs on Merrimack River Bridge	452.00
	—————
	\$7,716.21

(See Road Agent's Report)

General Expense Highway Department	1,955.84	\$1,955.84
(See Road Agent's Report)		

Street Lighting

Concord Electric Co., for current	97.04	\$97.04
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Elkins Public Library

Margery June Ruggles, Treas., Approp.	500.00	\$500.00
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Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	1,891.12	\$1,891.12
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Town Poor

Grafton County Commissioners	380.73
J. E. Faltin Motor Transport Co., Inc., for transportation of Govt. surplus goods, and State handling charges	56.65
	\$437.38
(See Overseer of Poor Report)	

Memorial and Old Home Days

American Legion, Post No. 31	35.00
Colin M. Heath for Old Home Day	25.00
	\$60.00

Cemetery Care

Henry Deos, Labor	195.80	\$195.80
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Revolving Fund

Frank C. Plastridge, Road Agent, Advance for Payroll Use	650.00	\$650.00
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Taxes Bought by Town

Sabin N. Guertin, Tax Collector	1,812.50	\$1,812.50
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County Tax

Treasurer of Merrimack County	2,623.94	\$2,623.94
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Equipment Purchased

E. C. Nelson, Inc., trade-in for new International truck	1,300.00	\$1,300.00
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Repairs to Sam W. Lake House

James F. Guertin, Carpenter Work & Materials	1,040.78
R. W. Keeler, Jr., Plumbing and Electric work	592.76
Roger W. Guay, Building Chimney	67.00

Page Belting Co., Paint	7.64
Herbert V. Johnson, Labor and Materials	67.68
Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	3.71
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Insurance	14.00
Dustin & Smith Agency, Inc., Insurance	1.57
Monitor-Patriot Co., Advertising	1.32
G. H. Giles & Co., Materials	10.00
Anson Morrill, Labor	16.80
Walter Pickard, Labor	24.00
Arthur Pickard, Labor	19.20
John Wentworth, Labor	10.40
Walter Hatch, Labor	6.40
Frank C. Plastridge, Labor	4.00

	\$1,887.26

By the consent of the Trustees, this was paid from income from the Sam W. Lake Trust Fund.

Cost of Building Leased to Arthur Pickard

Concord Lumber Co., Lumber and Materials	687.08
Joseph G. Colby, Lumber	16.65
Colin M. Heath, Lumber	29.92
James F. Guertin, Nails	11.00
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Insurance	6.00

	\$750.65

Interest on Notes Payable

National State Capital Bank, on Temporary Loans	71.25
National State Capital Bank, on Snowfighter Notes	55.83
National State Capital Bank, on Bridge Notes	62.50

	\$189.58

Notes Payable

National State Capital Bank, Snow-fighter Note	1,500.00
National State Capital Bank, Bridge Note	1,000.00
National State Capital Bank, Temporary Loans	10,000.00
	————— \$12,500.00

Schools

Charles E. Morrill, Treas., Balance of 1949 Appropriation	11,932.50
Charles E. Morrill, Treas., on 1950 appropriation	8,000.00
	————— \$19,932.50

Total Payments, as per Selectmen's orders on Town Treasurer \$64,663.18

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

REVENUE

Town Maintenance Appropriation	\$3,000.00
State of N. H. for Class V Highways	2,259.70
Highway General Expense Approp.	2,200.00
Repairs to Merrimack River Bridge	452.00
For Additional Costs	1,760.35

	\$9,672.05

COSTS

Expenditure of Class V Funds :

Grading and Resurfacing Baptist Rd.	2,209.70
Culvert for Tilton Back Road	50.00
Summer Road Maintenance	2,462.31
Winter Road Maintenance	2,542.20
Repairs to Merrimack River Bridge (Labor)	452.00
General Expense, Highway Dept.	1,955.84

	\$9,672.05

DETAIL OF COSTS

Labor

Frank C. Plastridge	1,084.50
Albi D. Cass	449.00
Arthur Pickard	1,167.60
Walter Pickard	512.00
Walter Hatch	842.80
Anson Morrill	890.00
Orville Fife	64.00
Philip Stone	80.00
Richard Dickson	64.00
Oscar Rollins	97.60
Arthur Plastridge	84.80
John Wentworth	305.60
Verne Stevens	41.60

Herbert Lamprey	93.60
David Clough	54.50

	\$5,831.50

Trucking and Grading

A. B. Nelson	1,232.15
Nightengale & Wilcox	131.90
Lucien Hildreth	151.30
Carroll Foster	137.95
State of N. H., Highway Dept.	131.01

	\$1,784.31

Miscellaneous Maintenance

Wm. Wilson, Plowing Roads	30.00
J. C. Malcolm, Gravel	6.00
John Scales, Sand	15.00
Prison Industries, Culvert Pipe	7.40
Walter Pickard, Snow Fence Stakes	12.00
Carroll Foster, Mowing Belmont Road	30.00

	\$100.40

General Expense Highway Department

Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Gas and Oil	550.31
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	124.10
Jackman & Lang, Inc. Work. Comp.	
& Lia. Ins.	291.10
Jackman & Lang, Inc., Truck Lia. Ins.	64.61
M. D. Ross Chevrolet Co., Truck	
Parts	23.18
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Snowplow	
Parts	547.60
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Install	
Snowplow on International Truck	238.57
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Grader Re-	
pairs & Tire	270.10
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Battery for	
Walters Truck	54.60

N. H. Explosive & Mach. Co., Inc.,	
Grader Repairs	14.50
Ray Road Equipment Co., Snow-	
plow Blades	34.38
Merrill & Cote, Truck Parts	2.75
E. C. Nelson, Inc., Truck Repairs	63.71
Wilfred Carr, Truck Repairs	7.25
State Highway Garage, Tire	19.02
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Fire	
Ins. on Trucks	55.00
John Wentworth, Grease Gun	2.00
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., Truck Parts	3.85
G. H. Giles & Co., Tools & Hardware	35.39
G. H. Giles & Co., Truck Supplies	44.57
Citizens National Bank, Service Charges	9.25

	\$1,955.84

It will be noted that highway department costs were \$1,810.35 in excess of appropriations. This was largely because the State Highway Department ruled that funds received from the State for class V highways be used only for construction work on designated roads, leaving all maintenance to be paid by the Town.

The appropriation for resurfacing the Merrimack River bridge was \$1,200.00. This work was unfinished at the end of the year. \$452.00 was paid for labor, leaving an unexpended balance of the 1950 appropriation of \$748.00.

Town Road Aid

State Balance January 1, 1950	\$133.37
State Appropriation	3,480.52
Town Appropriation	870.13
Excess Expended by State	131.01

Total Expended by State	\$4,615.03

The Town was required to pay to the State the excess expenditure of \$131.01.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY, DEC. 31, 1950

Fund No.	Date of Creation	Donor	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Inc.	Beg. in Yr.	Income Yr.	Expended Yr.	Bal. of Inc.
1A	1873	Benj. Whidden	Cong. Church	N. H. Svgs. Bank ..	200.00	2½%	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00		\$5.00
2A	1894	J. S. Elkins	Cong. Church	N. H. Svgs. Bank ..	1,000.00	2½%	25.00	25.00	25.00		25.00
3A	1918	L. M. Elkins	Library Repair	U. S. Govt. Bonds ..	1,000.00	2½%	25.00	25.00	25.00		25.00
4A	1918	L. M. Elkins	1st Lib. Book Fund ..	U. S. Govt. Bonds ..	4,000.00	2½%	100.00	100.00	100.00		100.00
5A	1918	L. M. Elkins	Sick & Worthy Poor ..	U. S. Govt. Bonds ..	6,000.00	2½%	172.50	172.50	172.50		172.50
				U. S. Govt. Bonds ..	800.00		534.86	534.86	20.00	109.42	109.42
				N. H. Svgs. Bank ..			50.00	50.00	1.35		1.35
				B. & M. R.R. Stock ..			500.00	500.00			
				B. & M. R.R. Stock ..			60.00	60.00			
6A	1929	L. M. Elkins	2nd Lib. Book Fund ..	Concord Bldg. & Loan	1,000.00	2½%			1,017.50	1,017.50	1,017.50

CEMETERY FUNDS

1	1908	Betsy Kimball	Ham	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	200.00	2½%	120.63	8.00	55.20	73.43
2	1908	P. C. Clough	T. Clough	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	.96	1.23	.40	1.79
3	1909	M. B. Neal	Neal	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	31.77	3.28	.80	34.25
4	1911	Emily Clough	A. Clough	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	200.00	2½%	166.09	9.15	21.40	153.84
5	1912	F. & G. Tallant	Tallant	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	15.98	1.63	.80	16.81
6	1915	J. C. Dearborn	Chase	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	17.32	1.68	.80	18.20
7	1918	L. M. Elkins	Elkins	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	200.00	2½%	134.05	8.35	.80	141.60
8	1918	L. M. Elkins	Sargent	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	200.00	2½%	178.55	9.45	5.20	182.80
9	1921	H. L. Clough	Tallant	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	10.14	1.50	.40	11.24
10	1921	H. L. Clough	D. M. Clough	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	3.52	1.33	.40	4.45
11	1924	J. S. Morrill	J. S. Morrill	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	66.94	4.15	1.20	69.89
12	1926	Walter Small	W. P. Small	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	38.40	3.45	.80	41.05
13	1926	A. J. Dearborn	A. J. Dearborn	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	8.23	1.45	.40	9.28
14	1927	S. K. Boyce	Boyce & Swasey	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	11.78	2.78	.80	13.76
15	1930	H. I. Paxton	Ingalls	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	11.56	1.53	.80	12.29
16	1931	C. Clough	J. F. Clough	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	200.00	2½%	47.52	6.18	.80	52.90
17	1934	C. B. Emery	Nathan Emery	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	9.83	2.73	.40	12.16
18	1934	G. L. Wainwright	J. G. Lake	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	300.00	2½%	49.79	8.73	.80	53.32
19	1936	Orrin Randall	Randall	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	.45	1.25	.40	1.70
20	1939	J. H. Morrill	J. S. Morrill	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	12.17	2.80	1.20	13.77
21	1940	Adeline Dow	E. P. Dow	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	15.76	2.88	.40	18.24
22	1941	Jones & Morrill	L. & C. Jones	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	75.00	2½%	10.34	2.13	.80	11.67
23	1941	C. E. Morrill	C. E. Morrill	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	7.04	1.43	.40	8.07
24	1941	S. W. Lake	G. W. Lake	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	9.68	2.73	.80	11.61
25	1942	Joseph Clough	Samuel Emery	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	2.93	2.55	.45	1.03
26	1942	Joseph Clough	S. M. Clough	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	100.00	2½%	6.59	2.65	.80	8.44
27	1943	M. K. Morrill	E. & D. Morrill	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	1.69	1.28	.40	2.57
28	1943	C. T. Marsh	C. T. Marsh	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	.07	1.25	.40	1.32
29	1943	C. Chaplain	Chaplain	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	50.00	2½%	6.30	1.40	.80	6.90
30	1944	S. E. Hutchins	Hutchins & Others	N. H.	Svgs.	Bank	:	250.00	2½%	11.17	6.53	1.60	16.10
													\$1572.11 \$1471.83 \$1390.17 \$1653.77

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT**OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT****MODERATOR**

KARL A. THUNBERG

CLERK

ERVIN A. COGSWELL

TREASURER

CHARLES EMERY MORRILL

AUDITORSELBERT R. FARRAR
SABIN W. GUERTIN**SCHOOL BOARD**

ARTHUR G. BROWN	Term expires 1951
LINWOOD A. ROGERS	Term expires 1952
CHARLES GILMAN	Term expires 1953

SCHOOL NURSEMADELEINE R. TRABUCCO
9 Mill Street
Tilton, N. H.

Telephone:	Office	Tilton 531
	Residence	Tilton 369

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

DONALD P. MATOON, Tilton, N. H.

Telephone:	Office at home	Tilton 6425
	Office at T-N HS	Tilton 531

Regular Meeting, School Board, Third Tuesday of the month, Selectmen's Office, 7:30 p. m.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Merrimack, ss.

To the Inhabitants of the Canterbury School District qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall in said Canterbury on Saturday, March 10, 1951 at 7:00 p. m. to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Arthur G. Brown.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and other district officers.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to use school district funds to purchase, maintain, and operate school buses, where necessary, to transport pupils to the schools to which they are assigned.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Canterbury this sixteenth day of January, 1951.

ARTHUR G. BROWN,
LINWOOD A. ROGERS,
CHARLES GILMAN,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

ARTHUR G. BROWN,
LINWOOD A. ROGERS,
CHARLES GILMAN,
School Board.

ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET FOR 1951-1952
EXPENDITURES

ITEM	Budget For 1949-50	Expended 1949-50	Corrected Budget For 1950-51	Proposed Budget For 1951-52
Administration				
Salaries of District Officers	\$204.00	\$202.00	\$204.00	\$204.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local)	511.32	565.00	565.00	565.00
Tax for State-wide Supervision	306.00	268.00	274.00	288.00
Salaries of Other Adminis. Personnel	325.00	375.68	300.00	386.00
Supplies and Expenses (Admin.)	100.00	88.97	100.00	100.00
Instruction				
Elementary Teachers' Salaries	12,380.00	11,144.51	12,000.00	12,500.00
Books and Other Instruc. Aids, Elem.	551.00	100.44	550.00	600.00
Scholars' Supplies, Elem.	350.00	700.32	350.00	500.00
Salaries of Clerical Assistants	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Supplies and Other Expenses, Instr.	70.00	242.38	70.00	100.00
Operation of School Plant				
Salaries of Janitors, Elem.	400.00	414.00	564.00	600.00
Fuel or heat, Elem.	450.00	369.05	450.00	450.00
Water, Light, Supplies and Exp. (Oper.) Elem.	225.00	260.04	250.00	260.00
Maintenance of School Plant				
Repairs and Replacements, Elem.	600.00	705.21	600.00	600.00
Auxiliary Activities				
Health Supervision, Elem.	343.00	340.08	343.00	343.00
Transportation, Elem.	3,499.99	3,190.00	3,600.00	3,200.00
Tuition, High School, Elem.	4,870.00	3,659.15	5,240.00	5,850.00
Spec. Activities & Spec. Funds, Elem.	0.00	126.94	0.00	0.00

	Budget For 1949-50	Expended 1949-50	Corrected Budget For 1950-51	Proposed Budget For 1951-52
Fixed Charges				
Retirement	640.00	519.00	600.00	665.00
Insurance, Treas. Bond and Expenses	80.00	10.00	100.00	115.00
Contingency Fund — Kezer Rent	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	(25,905.31)	(23,250.77)	(26,160.00)	\$27,401.00
Capital Outlay				
Additions and Improvements	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Equipment	100.00	149.96	300.00	300.00
Payments into Capital Reserve Fund	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Debt and Interest				
Principal of Debt	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Interest on Debt	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	(26,005.31)	(23,430.73)	(26,460.00)	\$27,701.00
Special Appropriations, Articles 9, \$400.00				
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO BE VOTED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR CURRENT EXPENSES, INCLUDING SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS				400.00
RECEIPTS				
State Aid	Budget 1949-50	Budget 1949-50	Budget 1951-52	
District Assessment to be Raised by Property Taxes	\$7,460.69	\$4,233.42	\$9,245.92—Depends on legis-	
Total Appropriation for Current Expenses, including	18,544.63	22,586.58	18,855.08 Special Appropriations	lative action
				28,101.00

FINANCIAL REPORT
CANTERBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1950

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand 7/1/49	\$ 37.73
Appropriation	21,528.63
Dog tax	403.87
Refunds:	
Eton Publishing Co.	10.80
Sears, Roebuck	2.98
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State Aid	13.78
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Total Receipts	\$26,322.96

PAYMENTS

Administration

1. Salaries of District Officers:	
Arthur G. Brown	\$50.00
Sabin W. Guertin	2.00
Lois E. Johanson	50.00
Chas. Emery Morrill	50.00
Linwood A. Rogers	50.00
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Total	\$202.00
2. Superintendent's Salary:	
Treasurer Supervisory Union	565.00
3. Tax for State Wide Supervision:	
State Treasurer	268.00
4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:	
Arthur G. Brown, census	50.00
Treasurer Supervisory Union	325.68
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Total	375.68
5. Supplies and Expenses:	
Bank Charges	5.18

Brown & Saltmarsh	18.00
Cole Printing Co.	9.00
G. H. Giles & Co.	9.06
Howell Business Service	2.25
Lois E. Johanson	11.62
R. E. Lane	2.25
Donald P. Mattoon	12.01
Treasurer Supervisory Union	16.00
Wheeler & Clark	3.60
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Total	88.97

INSTRUCTION

6. Principal's and Teachers' Salaries:

Grace K. Atwood, (W.T. \$199.20) Ret. \$80, Nea \$5, NHSTA \$4, B.C. \$25.20) (\$2000)	\$1,686.60
S. Katherine French, (W.T. \$113.50) Ret. \$38.40, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4, B.C. \$30.60) (\$959.76)	768.26
Evelyn M. Harris, (W.T. \$134.60) (\$1296.00)	1,161.40
Helen E. Martin, (Ret. \$7.00) (243.75	236.75
Frances H. Smith, (W.T. \$340.80) NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4, B.C. \$63.45) (\$2300)	1,886.75
Ida L. Tenney, (W.T. \$211.20) Ret. \$84, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4) (\$2100)	1,795.80
Jane R. Vogel, (Ret. \$9) (\$283)	274.00
Mrs. Charles Walles, substitute	12.00
Lawrence A. Wiggin (W.T. \$192.00) \$78, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4) (\$1950)	1,671.00
Collector of Internal Revenue	1,191.30
National Education Association	25.00
N.H.-Vt. Hospital Service	119.25
N.H. State Teachers Assoc.	20.00
Teachers' Retirement Board	296.40
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Total	\$11,144.51

7. Books and Other Instructional Aids:

American Book Co.	56.44
Edward E. Babb Co.	8.58
Silver Burdett & Co.	12.81

Houghton-Mifflin	1.82
The John C. Winston Co.	20.79
Total	\$100.44

8. Scholars' Supplies:

American Education Press	\$37.50
Edward E. Babb	212.07
Beckley-Cardy	1.44
J. L. Hammett	21.12
Houghton-Mifflin	159.02
Row, Peterson & Co.	98.87
Thompson & Hoague	3.98
T-N. Union School District	82.39
Webster Publishing Co.	25.77
World Book Co.	10.51
Young America Magazine	47.65
Total	\$700.32

9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants:

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10. Supplies and Other Expenses:

F. E. Compton Co.	\$213.24
J. L. Hammett Co.	7.24
Chas. E. Merrill Co.	19.45
E. Vassamillet	2.45
Total	\$242.38

OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT**11. Salaries of Janitors:**

Thomas Achorn	\$70.00
William Doubleday	94.00
Paul Himes	70.00
Frances H. Smith	44.00
Gladys Walker	68.00
Charles Walles	68.00
Total	\$414.00

12. Fuel

Arthur Brown	\$ 8.00
James Cass	27.00
Joseph Doubleday	32.00
Raymond Fife	21.00

Walter Hatch	10.00
Raymond Preve	8.00
Joseph Russell	75.00
Tilton Coal & Supply Co.	111.25
Charles Walker	76.80
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Total	\$369.05

13. Water, Light and Expenses:

Bryant & Lawrence	\$ 7.15
Concord Electric Co.	82.88
Fowler Drug Co.	3.69
G. H. Giles & Co.	32.44
Public Service Co. of N. H.	52.80
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	11.92
Tilton-Northfield Union School District	59.80
William E. Downes	9.36
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Total	\$260.04

MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

14. The B. K. Company	\$1.00
George Batchelder	75.55
Arthur G. Brown	16.65
Bryant & Lawrence	11.78
Everett Capron	21.75
Concord Lumber Co.	33.60
Richard Dickson	9.00
Earl Dunbar	92.95
Orville Fife	78.00
G. H. Giles Co.	47.14
The Glidden Co.	69.41
James Guertin	12.38
J. L. Hammett	10.45
Walter Hatch	10.00
Eric O. Johanson	8.00
Donald Perthel	54.05
Charles Rancour	114.80
Linwood Rogers	6.10
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	3.35
Gladys Walker	29.25
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Total	\$705.21

AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES**15. Health Supervision:**

Herrick Drug Store	\$ 2.32
Lurline H. McCook	337.00
Presby's Drug Store	.76
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Total	\$340.08

16. Transportation:

Richard Dickson	1,059.00
Ernest Greenwood	450.00
Olaf Wells	1,681.00
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Total	\$3,190.00

17. Tuition: High School

Concord School District	1,941.00
Penacook School District	465.00
Tilton-Northfield Union School Dist.	1,226.75
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Total	\$3,632.75
Elementary School	
Loudon School District	\$26.40

18. Special Activities and Special Funds:

Grace Atwood	\$48.00
Helen Innis	18.94
Lawrence Wiggin	60.00
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Total	\$126.94

FIXED CHARGES**19. Retirement:**

Teachers Retirement Board	\$519.00
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20. Insurance:

Sherburne & Parker	10.00
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CAPITAL OUTLAY

21. Lands and New Buildings:	00.00
22. Additions and Improvements to Buildings:	00.00

23. New Equipment:

Eisenhaur's Hardware	\$13.70
Gledhill Brothers	21.42
Kidder Lumber Co.	15.45
Linwood Rogers	8.98
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	1.98
Tilton Coal & Supply Co.	85.45
Marion Wheeler	2.98
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Total	\$149.96
Total Payments	\$23,430.73
Cash on hand 6/30/50	2,892.23
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Grand Total	\$26,322.96

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR G. BROWN,
LINWOOD A. ROGERS,
CHARLES GILMAN,

School Board

CHARLES EMERY MORRILL
School District Treasurer

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board, Parents and Voters:

Here begins the eleventh annual report of your present superintendent of schools. Before 1940, several districts in Supervisory Union No. 59 had the earlier superintendent of schools for twenty-six years. By continued service over many years the educational program envisioned by a superintendent and believed in and made effective by the efforts of many persons—school board members, teachers, school personnel, parents, pupils, and tax-payers—gives the best schools within our means.

Our whole endeavor is pointed towards bringing out of each youngster his own potentialities, those talents which were hidden within him when he was formed, and assisting him to develop himself into a well-rounded human being capable of caring for himself and also assuming his social-civic obligations to others.

The teachers in Canterbury try to consider *child nature and development first*, how children feel, react, grow, respond, achieve, and contribute. Children who live full lives and express themselves nobly each day have the best chance of good and useful lives as adults. Teachers are endeavoring to avoid conditions in and around the schools which unbalance youngsters. Children's personalities are warped by being assigned tasks too old for their years, by being required to compete for individual success to satisfy parents, by being restricted to crowded school quarters when they have had big spaces for their play and activity, in being frustrated by conditions and denied by adults.

We think little children should be loved, should grow up in a school system where they are understood by kindly teachers, should learn to do by performing meaningful work, should have the school increase not dull their zest for living, and should develop into expressive, creative, earnest, cooperative, generous and loyal young citizens with good understandings of the world in which they live, with good work habits, and with sincere civic responsibility.

In Canterbury, school conditions change slowly. It is taking a long time to consolidate the schools into one efficient, central unit. When the highways are graveled and widened so school buses may operate easily over them, consolidation should come about. Until that time arrives, we must be content with the school plants as they are or as they can be slightly altered and strive mightily to change the school program so it prepares children to live in and cope with conditions of the modern world.

In 1940:

Five school buildings in use.	Five school buildings in use.
102 pupils enrolled in Fall.	108 pupils enrolled in Fall
17 pupils in nearby high schools.	24 pupils in nearby high schools

In 1950:

Changes in the Educational Pattern:

1. Teachers attend summer sessions, take extension courses during the school year, participate in workshops on methods and material.
2. Functional handwriting program in effect.
3. Art Education experiences in prospect.
4. Health program to include dental clinics and full physical examinations.
5. Physical Education hoped for.
6. Music program to include both vocal and instrumental instruction.
7. School Board members attend meetings with those from other districts and receive information on the better school practices which are being put into effect in this area.
8. Audio-visual program for pupils, and parents introduces information for fast and impressive learning.
9. P. T. A. takes active interest in school matters, furnishes equipment, and seeks to help in many ways.

Buildings and Grounds

During the year the following improvements have been made in the several school buildings:

Carter: Interior renovated, painted in attractive colors.

Center: Large pine tree removed, giving more natural light in schoolroom; ceiling insulated by Mr. Andrew Fowler gratis, with materials purchased at cost from the Eagle Rock Wool Company; table desks and chairs obtained for the primary children.

Kezer: Storm windows purchased; P. T. A. helped install these; Mr. James Guertin gave week's work, with others, to shore floors; fluorescent lights purchased and installed.

Uplands: Interior redecorated.

Additional insurance coverage was obtained from the Grange Mutual Co. Currently in force:

Blanchard	\$4,000.00
Center	1,800.00
Shed	200.00
Uplands	1,800.00

Insurance covering the liability of the School Board in case of accident to a pupil on school property or in his travel along the highway to and from school has been obtained. This protects the Board from suit.

PUPILS: ATTENDANCE, ENROLLMENTS, TRANSPORTATION

Closing Exercises

The 1949-50 school year closed with exercises in the Town Hall on June 15, 1950 at 8:00 p. m. The theme of the Program was: Friendship Through Understanding. This gave an opportunity for several pupils to speak and others to offer musical selections.

Mr. Arthur G. Brown, Chairman of the School Board recognized the graduates.

Graduates

William Arthur Batchelder Allen Eugene Huckins
Nancy Ann Fife Phyllis Marion Noyes
Leonard Loren Giles Elsie Bernice Sargent
Paul Edward Himes

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1950-1951

Workshop for Teachers—Social Studies—Belmont—Sept. 5-8
inclusive.

FIRST TERM BEGINS Monday, September 11
No school days October 19, 20; November 23, 24
Christmas vacation, Dec. 22-Jan. 1 inclusive

SCHOOL YEAR CLOSES Friday, June 15

Entrance Age

Starting in September 1951, a child to enter school as a beginner must be six years of age on or before September 1 of the school year in which he is to be enrolled.

Enrollments in September 1949

		Pupils
Blanchard	Mrs. M. Evelyn Harris, 8-year program	18
Carter	Mrs. Mary Ellen Fife Fifield, 4-year program, upper intermediate and advanced years	25
Center	Mrs. Grace K. Atwood, 4-year program, Primary & lower intermediate yrs.	30
Kezer	Mrs. Frances H. Smith, 8-year program	17
Uplands	Mrs. Helen O. Page, 8-year program	18
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Transporters

Blanchard School—Mr. Ernest Greenwood, \$2.50 daily

Carter-Center Schools—Mr. Olaf E. Wells, \$7.00 daily

Kezer School—Mr. Richard Dickson, \$5.50 daily

Loudon Village School—\$1.00 per school per pupil—Loudon School District

Public Hearing on School Organization and Transportation

The School Board held a public hearing on school organization and transportation in the Town Hall on July 25, 1949 at 7:30 p. m., Chairman Arthur G. Brown, presiding. Three plans were presented.

Plan 1—Maintain an 8-year program in each school building.

Plan 2—Transfer pupils between Carter and Center schools as has been done in the past; operate the other three schools with 8-year programs in each.

Plan 3—Establish a primary unit at Center school, an intermediate program at Blanchard, and an advanced organization at Carter; make a combination of pupils between Kezer and Uplands, primary-intermediate at latter and intermediate-advanced program at first.

TUITION PUPILS AND RATES

High School Tuition Rate of \$250.00
for 1950-51; \$275 for 1951-52

Concord Union School District

Cote, Emilie D. (Jas. McElroy)	XI
Farrar, Beulah A. (Elbert)	XI

Giles, Leonard L. (Gerald)	IX
Greenwood, Mary Jane (Ernest L.)	X
Ham, William (Herman)	X
Himes, Paul E. (Allison F.)	IX
Maxfield, Gilbert F. (Frank L.)	X
Schmidt, Josephine A. (Edward)	X
Thunberg, Jon C. (Karl A.)	XI
Wilkins, Robert O. (Malcolm L.)	XII
Wilson, Raymond E. (William J.)	XII

Concord—Scully School

Manning, Anne W. (Warren K.)	I	Private
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Concord—St. John's Parochial School

Batchelder, William	IX	Private
Doubleday, Gertrude V.	III	
Vazzana, Gerald	VII	
Vazzana, Hugh	XI	
Vazzana, John	I	
Vazzana, Mary	X	
Vazzana, Michael	VI	
Vazzana, Suzanne	IV	
Welch, Jean	XII	

Elementary Tuition Rate of \$100.00
for 1950-51

Loudon School District

Roberts, Evelyn (Mrs. Dorothy)	VI
Roberts, Corinne (Mrs. Dorothy)	I

Penacook Union School District

High School Tuition Rate of \$200.00
for 1950-51

Blanchard, James (Donald)	XII
Ferrin, Dawn (Mrs. Walter Goodwin)	IX
Fife, Nancy (Orvis)	IX
Fife, Raymond (Raymond)	X
Lamprey, Rena (Herbert)	XII
Sargent, Elsie (Harrison)	IX

Providence, R. I.

Powers, Albert (Charles)

Tilton-Northfield Union School Dist.

High School Tuition Rate of \$175.00
for 1950-51, Probably \$200.00 1951-52

Brown, Arthur (Arthur G.)	XI
Brown, Barbara (Arthur G.)	X
Fife, Nancy (Orvis) (moved to Penacook)	IX Dec. 1950
Fife, Raymond (Raymond) "	X Dec. 1950
Fife, Ruth (Clarence)	XI
Fife, Shirley (Raymond)	XI
Noyes, Phyllis (Ralph)	IX
Walles, Barbara (Charles)	XI
Woods, Raymond (Raymond)	X

Tilton-Northfield

Private

Johnnson, Philip (Eric)	F2
Powers, David (Charles)	VIII

**Mental Abilities of Pupils—Reports to Parents of
Elementary Pupils**

IN	Extremely High
B	A few who became the most brilliant scholars.
E	Several who are very capable in book-learning.
T	Some who are rapid learners in school, able to go forward with limited teacher-direction because of their own interests and effort.
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Extremely Low

Slow learners in books, may not read higher than 4th reader.

Some who can do hand-work under constant teacher direction.

Few who can be taught very little from books, but who can make some social progress.

Pupils with varying rates of learning ability. To their speed or progress in school work, much of the program is geared, unless the school personnel deals with youngsters on an *individual* basis, or *small-group* plan.

Youngsters differ from each other in many ways. Our teachers try to deal with the varying learning abilities of the

children in suitable lessons. There is much more to school than studying books. Attitudes towards work; of kindly feelings towards others; of respect for self, companions, and property; and cooperation in *group* projects are as important as book-learning in the lives of most youngsters as adults. *Mastery*, complete control of a skill, manual muscular, or a process, or a useable body of facts, is more to be prized than marks. Actual achievements are generally measureable and are more meaningful when related to each child's talents and capabilities. Our system of reporting school progress of pupils by "report letters" to parents is based on factors which allow for differences in abilities, capacities, interests, mental maturity, and personal qualities.

"Report letters" give parents a better picture of the *growing child* and the experiences he is having in the school program than any "mark" on a "report card", or its printed notes, can ever give. Success in life is not measured alone by "book-learning". School exists for purposes other than cramming book-learning into children, whether or not they are mature enough to learn the exercises, or make any meaning of them. The social development of a youngster is vital to his acceptance among his fellows. For many children, perhaps all, this factor of social acceptance is more important than factual learnings, desirable as these surely are. School life should be a wonderful experience for every child, where knowledge of or acquaintance with, the world is opened through books, pictures, television, radio, conversation, magazines, excursions, and activities. It should not be a place where unpleasantness is common, where there is an unnatural and humdrum existence bounded by percents and marks as ends in themselves, and in tasks meaningless to the child at his age.

Child life is a growing-up period. A child has his own interests; and these are not grownups interests! A child has his own understanding of situations; and this is not adult understanding. A child sees the world and the people in it through his own eyes. He makes his own meaning of conditions he finds; and it is not an adult interpretation. A child's love for school can be deadened by fault-finding, by punishments, by parents' misunderstandings or lack of sympathy or lack of love of him, and by overloading him with work or exercises or words without real meaning or use to him at his age or stage in life.

Parents measure their children's heights occasionally to see how tall they are getting. They don't give the youngsters marks of "A" if they have grown phenomenally fast, or marks of "D" if they have grown unusually slow. They let the youngsters "grow up", whatever the height and accept it. Schools should be or-

ganized to let youngsters grow up under thoughtful and wise direction, and parents should receive messages occasionally in "report letters". Then parents may help the child, or the school and teacher, and understand all.

Teachers Employed

Mrs. Ida L. Tenney secured a position near her home in Boscowen. Mrs. M. Evelyn Harris found it more convenient to reach Canterbury from her home in Contoocook by traveling only to the Blanchard School, so she was given work there.

Replacing Mrs. Harris at Carter, the services of Mrs. Mary Ellen Fife Fifield, 1950 graduate of Keene Teachers College and Canterbury resident, were obtained.

Mrs. Grace K. Atwood at Center and Mrs. Frances H. Smith at Kezer continue to serve faithfully.

Mr. Lawrence A. Wiggin at Uplands entered upon his own farming operations, and Mrs. Helen O. Page of Gilmanton Iron Works was hired as his successor.

Miss Jane R. Vogel, teacher of music, has gone to Laconia School Department. Her successor is Mr. Paul S. Mayerson, 1950 graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music.

Miss Helen E. Martin directs teaching by audio-visual means, teaches the groups in handwriting, and assists all teachers in improving their school practices.

Health Program

Mrs. Lurline H. McCook has taken part-time work in school nursing at Tilton-Northfield. To serve in her place in Canterbury, Mrs. Madeliene R. Trabucco of Tilton has been employed.

Parent-Teacher Association

The Canterbury Parents' Association has been expanded and is now affiliated with the National P. T. A. organization. The members of the Canterbury group are vitally interested in bettering school conditions and their efforts are graciously given and gratefully accepted.

Conclusion

Within the next decade, 1960 at the latest, Canterbury should have its roads improved so school buses may be operated on any of them. Then, it should be possible to have a central

school on the Lake property and establish a program there which will be economical in educational dollars and effective in learning experiences. A central school should contribute to better relations, and benefit everyone, as well as be a source of pride in the community!

As your superintendent of schools for more than a decade, it is a pleasure again to express thanks to all those who in any way have helped during this year to improve school conditions and aid boys and girls to learn to live in a changing world.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD P. MATTOON

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Report of Treasurer

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1950	\$495.33
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Receipts:

Town appropriation	500.00
Interest on trust funds	140.00
Interest on bank account	6.00
Book replacement money	200.00
Miscellaneous	8.66

Payments:

Books and Magazines	\$260.33
Operating	379.21
Repairs	305.47
Balance on hand	404.98

	\$1,349.00	\$1,349.99
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1950	\$404.98
Savings account book fund	\$802.50

Cash on hand is divided into the following:

Books & Magazines—\$111.33; Repairs—\$160.73
Operating—\$80.92; Insurance—\$50.00

MARGERY JUNE RUGGLES,
Treasurer.

ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Report of the Trustees

Library hours: May through November, Tuesday 2-5 P. M., Saturday 2-5 P. M., December through April, Saturdays only, 2-5 P. M.

The Trustees wish to thank the generous donors who gave many books for our library.

Reference and non-fiction books may be borrowed from the State Library. The librarian will be glad to obtain any books free of charge upon request.

The library was redecorated this year. The ceilings and walls were painted; the floor sanded and refinished, and the exterior trim painted. It has been 13 years since the library was last painted.

The Trustees of the Library voted to remove the book fund from the charge of the Trustees of the Trust Funds, as it was necessary to use some of the money for the many book replacements, particularly juvenile, necessary for the past two years. In recent years the interest had been sufficient in purchasing books. For many years worn-out books were not replaced, and after the war when it was possible to obtain old favorites, particularly in the juvenile section, and to buy classics, we have had a specific replacement program. Because of the increasing cost of books, we felt the replacement should not be purchased from our income from the regular Elkins book trust fund.

This book fund is income that had accumulated from the original book trust fund during the years before the library was built. A balance was left after the new library was completed and the books purchased. In the ensuing years the Trustees of the Library asked the Trustees of the Trust Funds to take charge of the fund. The fund has been placed in a savings account in the Valley Trust Co., Penacook, N. H., under the care of the treasurer of the library.

CLASSIFIED LISTING OF BOOKS PURCHASED IN 1950

(Compiled from accession book records by Librarian
Louisa Jackman Waldron)

	Gift	Purchase	Total
Adult	20	83	103
Juvenile	1	77	78
Adult: General Fiction & Historical			67
Non-fiction & reference			36
Juvenile: Replacement copies			42
Other			36
Total Books Purchased		160	
Books Replaced		42	
Total Gifts		21	
Total Books		181	

CHARLES RANCOUR,
LOUISA J. WALDRON,
MARGERY J. RUGGLES,

Trustees.

CANTERBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department accepted the resignation of Chief Charles D. Waldron at the regular monthly January meeting. He handed in his resignation due to the fact that he now resides in Concord and would not be in town to supervise the functions of the Department.

The Department faced with the above condition could not do anything but to accept the resignation, although we were reluctant to do so.

We need a new chief but where are we going to find a man who will give so much of his time and interest to the Department or who can "fill the shoes" of Ex-Chief Charles D. Waldron.

The Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department had an eventful year. The big fire of May 8th and 9th burned almost from one end of the town to the other — from Northfield to one-fourth mile of the Concord line, burning over 1500 acres; involving over 500 men and ten outside Fire Departments. The damage caused by this fire has never been estimated.

There were twelve brush fires and two chimney fires. The Department went out of town on five occasions to assist other departments who called for our aid.

GEORGE A. BATCHELDER,
Secretary & Treasurer,
Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department.

CANTERBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	\$138.74
1950 appropriation from town	\$700.00
Dues	54.00
Badges	5.25
Dances	154.62
Services rendered	84.10
Other money	27.39
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	\$1,081.65

PAYMENTS

New Hampshire State Firemen Ass'n.	\$54.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	114.23
G. H. Giles	68.95
Donations to Church & P. T. A.	11.00
Radio Shack Corp.	17.92
Sudbury Laboratories	26.50
Penacook Publishing Co.	10.00
George Batchelder	18.22
Eastern Fire Equipment Co.	17.50
Bill Cochrane	62.20
Evans Radio Co.	40.83
W. S. Darley & Co.	3.00
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	26.78
Thompson & Hoague Co.	17.60
R. G. Crowell (Insurance)	87.50
Internal Revenue	19.41
Sanel Auto Parts	13.41
Fire Protection Co.	110.75
Edson Eastman Co.	13.50
Concord Lumber Co.	8.64

Samuel Eastman Co.	19.99
New Hampshire Explosives	2.29
Cards and Stencils	7.50
Returned Badges	3.50
Herbert Lamprey	4.00
Bank Service Charge	3.88
Balance in checking account	1.90
Balance in Savings Bank	146.00
Cash on hand	150.65

	\$1,081.65

GEORGE A. BATCHELDER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN

The successful control of brush and woods fires is highly dependent upon the cooperation of all townspeople in the prevention of these fires. To the end of enlisting this help, many wardens have asked us to assist them in preparing a brief statement which could be printed in the forthcoming Annual Town Report. This statement appears below and your cooperation in seeing to its publication will be helpful.
Concord, February, 1951.

John H. Foster, State Forester

FOREST FIRE PREVENTION PAYS DIVIDENDS

Most forest fires are preventable because someone is responsible for them. State records for 1950 show 94% of 632 fires resulted from human perverseness and carelessness. Refusal to secure the required warden permit before burning; failure to use good judgment, lack of equipment and assistance while burning; carelessness in smoking and poorly conditioned woods equipment (trucks, tractors, etc.) re-

sulted in a total of 6090.6 burned acres with a loss of \$63,949.10 in valuable property.

Fortunate, these human factors can be dealt with because people can be reached. This the local forest fire warden tries to do by informing his fellow citizens that *EVERYONE MUST:*—

1. Secure a written permit to burn in or near woodlands when the ground is not covered with snow.
2. Use good judgment in burning and have enough equipment and assistance to keep fire under control at all times.
3. Be careful when smoking in or near woodlands and refrain from throwing lighted material from automobiles.
4. Make certain that all equipment used in the woods is in good condition.

His success depends entirely upon public reaction to his appeals. He does his part — the rest depends upon YOU and

YOUR compliance with burning requirements.

YOUR care with YOUR fires and YOUR smoking and

YOUR care of motive equipment you use in the woods. It all aids, materially, in reaching the desired goal, the

**PREVENTION OF FOREST FIRES — because
PREVENTION PAYS DIVIDENDS!**

Number of local fires	3
Number of acres burned	1208
Number of permits issued	41

CHARLES GILMAN,
Forest Fire Warden.

THOS. J. KING,
District Fire Chief

CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Civil authorities of each community are by directive responsible for local civilian defense. The Selectmen have therefore appointed, Carl A. Thunberg, Director of a Canterbury Civilian Defense Plan with authority to organize, motivate and direct such local organization as the State Civilian Defense Director may advise.

In view of the national situation, the local civilian defense organization is intended to deal with an emergency disaster in accordance with a co-ordinated plan.

According to this plan, Canterbury has been designated as one of the evacuation areas in case of disaster. A survey and up to date inventory of emergency facilities of the community is therefore an important part of our responsibility.

Also, in accordance with this plan, Canterbury has been designated as one station of the ground observer net for the eastern interceptor command. Accordingly, we have established an observation post and organized and trained an observation crew.

Expense of civilian defense at the local level is the responsibility of the community as no state or national funds are available for local use. The major expense of civilian defense will be in connection with getting ready.

Whether or not civilian defense operates actively, or on a stand by basis will be determined by developments. In view of the long range possibilities your cooperation in this community responsibility is necessary and important.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.

INSURANCE IN FORCE

	Amount	Property	Expiration
Merchants Mutual Cas. Co.	10/20	1950 Int. Truck	Nov. 28, 1951
Travelers Ins. Co.	10/20	Mf. & Cont. Lia.	Jan. 31, 1951
Travelers Ins. Co.	Schedule	Workmen's Comp.	Jan. 31, 1951
Merchants Mutual Gas. Co.	5/10	Town Hall Lia.	May 2, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$3,000.00	Town Hall Fire	Mar. 24, 1953
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$10,000.00	Town Garage Fire	Dec. 31, 1953
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$10,000.00	Highway Equip. Fire	Aug. 28, 1951
Middlesex Mut. Fire Ins. Co.	\$2,200.00	Fire Ins. S. Lake House	July 28, 1951
Middlesex Mut. Fire Ins. Co.	\$800.00	Fire Ins. S. Lake House	Dec. 28, 1951
Middlesex Mut. Fire Ins. Co.	\$700.00	Fire Ins. S. Lake House	Aug. 11, 1952
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$1,000.00	Fire Ins. S. Lake House	Oct. 4, 1953
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$1,000.00	Fire Ins. Pickard House	Oct. 1, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$9,500.00	Fire Ins. Library	Sept. 4, 1952
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$5,000.00	Fire Ins. Schools	Sept. 10, 1951
American Fidelity Co.		Lia. Ins. Schools	Oct. 18, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$1,250.00	Fire Dept. Concord Truck & Equipment	Dec. 14, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$2,250.00	Fire Dept. Chev. Truck & Equipment	Nov. 3, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$1,000.00	Fire Dept. Equipment, Floater	Nov. 29, 1951
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co.	\$1,150.00	Fire Dept. Radio & Equip., Florater	Nov. 20, 1951
Merchants Mutual Cas. Co.	20/40	Fire Dept. Lia. Chev. Truck	Jan. 31, 1952
Merchants Mutual Cas. Co.	20/40	Fire Dept. Lia. Concord Truck	Jan. 31, 1952
Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co.		Firemen's Accident Ins.	May 12, 1951

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1949*	Dec. 26 Concord	William J. Cochrane	M L 3 W	William J. Cochrane	Ella Mae Lee	Canterbury	Trackman	Concord	Clarendon
Nov. 30 Concord	Joseph Doubleday, Jr.	M L 1 W	Jos. Doubleday, Jr.	Shirley F. Edmunds	Canterbury	Farmer	Farmer	Boston, Mass.	Lyndonville, Vt.
1950	Kathleen M. Knight	F L 1 W	Donald L. Knight	Almira M. Moody	Canterbury	Garage worker	Charlton, Mass.	Concord	Concord
Jan. 30 Concord	Richard W. Bolduc	M L 1 W	Ernest J. Bolduc	Alta M. Dufield	Canterbury	Finisher	Franklin	Concord	Concord
Feb. 24 Concord	Reginald R. DesRoches	M L 4 W	Fred E. DesRoches	Pearle G. Jordan	Canterbury	Truck driver	Mount Vernon	Plymouth	N. H.
Jan. 25 Laconia	Antonia L. Green	F L 1 W	Maurice G. Green	Evelyn P. Pickard	Canterbury	Lumbering	N. H.	Newburyport	Mass., Newburyport
Apr. 24 Concord	Carol A. Brown	F L 2 W	Norman A. Brown	Ruth M. Gillette	All	Sales manager	Keene	Mass., Newburyport	Mass., Newburyport
May 1 Concord	Sandra E. Fair	F L 2 W	Charles H. Paire	Lillian M. Lariee	Canterbury	Tree surgeon	Eastern Maryland	Presque Isle, Me.	Presque Isle, Me.
July 19 Concord	Penelope J. Grace	F L 2 W	George M. Grace	Henrietta Labell	Canterbury	Farmer	Eastern Maryland	New York City	New York City
July 29 Concord	Peggy L. Sargent	F L 2 W	Harold W. Sargent	Thelma M. Lamprey	Canterbury	Sheet metal wkr.	Meredith	Canterbury	Canterbury
Oct. 14 Concord	Raymond E. Deary	M L 1 W	Raymond E. Deary	Helen J. Jennings	Canterbury	Gas, Sta. opr.	Concord	Fairfield, Conn.	Fairfield, Conn.

*Returns received too late for 1949 Report.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SABIN N. GUERTIN, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Martial Status	Name, Residence, and Official Stations of Persons by whom married
										No.
Aug. 19	Manchester	Richard M. Wilkins	Canterbury	[21] W. Student	N. H.	Malcolm Wilkins	Vt.	-----	-----	Rowland C. Adams Min. of Gospel Manchester
		Jane A. Mylivity	Manchester	[20] W. Mill worker	N. H.	Eunice McGillivray	Vt.	-----	-----	-----
June 2	Canterbury	Charles L. Carson	Concord	[27] W. Truck driver	N. H.	Walter C. Mylivity	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
		Alberta M. Fife	Canterbury	[20] W. At home	N. H.	Mary C. Ryasa	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
June 18	Canterbury	Philip D. Cochrane	Penacook	[19] W. Farmer	N. H.	Charles B. Carson	N. H.	-----	-----	2 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen
		Sylvia M. Stevens	Canterbury	[18] W. At home	N. H.	Eva Morgan	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
July 1	Canterbury	Norman P. Preget	Keene	[31] W. Carpenter	N. H.	Theodore H. Fife	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
		Charlotte D. Farrar	Canterbury	[17] W. Student	N. H.	Alice Bailey	N. H.	-----	-----	1 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen
Sept. 19	Alstead	Charles A. Powers	Canterbury	[20] W. Student	Mass.	Frank E. Cochrane	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
		Shirley V. Bascom	Aeworth	[18] W. Student	N. H.	Marion B. McLaren	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
Oct. 12	Canterbury	Oliver R. Fifield	Canterbury	[23] W. Agr'l Instructor	N. H.	Verne K. Stevens	N. H.	-----	-----	1 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen
		Mary E. Fife	Canterbury	[22] W. Teacher	Mass.	Gladys Briggs	Vt.	-----	-----	1 Eric W. Bascom Clergyman Aeworth
						William J. Preget	N. Y.	-----	-----	4 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen
						Dela V. McCarthy	Ireland	-----	-----	-----
						Elbert R. Farrar	N. H.	-----	-----	1 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen
						Iva S. Farrar	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
						Charles T. Powers	Mass.	-----	-----	1 Eric W. Bascom Clergyman Aeworth
						Florence E. Clough	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
						Eric W. Bascom	-----	-----	-----	-----
						Eilda G. Frost	Vt.	-----	-----	-----
						Roland C. Fifield	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
						Margaret E. Smith	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
						Clarence E. Fife	N. H.	-----	-----	-----
						Mary E. Glines	N. H.	-----	-----	1 J. Lincoln Thomas Min. of Gospel Boscawen

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SABIN N. GUERTIN, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1950

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Sex & Cond.		Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
				Years	Months		Place of Birth	Father		
Jan. 4	Concord	Edward Peao	93			M	Vermont	M W M Laborer	Louis Peao	Rose Green -----
Apr. 20	Concord	Etta Lamprey	84			M	Salisbury	--	Nathaniel A. Hodge	Not stated -----
Aug. 24	Laconia	Nancy B. Brokowski	12			F	Laconia	F W W Own home -----	Joseph Brokowski	Dorothy LaCause -----
Oct. 24	Concord	Nellie A. Marston	66			F	Hopkinton	F W W Infant -----	Not stated -----	Sarah Libby -----
								F W W Not stated -----		

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SABIN N. GUERTIN, *Town Clerk*.

1950 PROPERTY VALUATIONS FOR TAXATION PURPOSES

In the following list of valuations qualified veterans have been allowed an exemption of \$1,000.00 or, if their valuation was less than \$1,000.00, no amount is extended for taxation. The amount of tax for any item can be found by applying the 1950 tax rate of \$6.40 per \$100.00 valuation with the following exceptions for property exempt from the school tax of \$3.70 per \$100.00:

J. Ralph Graham, Jr.	\$19,350.00
Lillian Smith	2,700.00
Iva Holmes Heirs	800.00

These items were taxed at the rate of \$2.70 per \$100.00.

Ambeau, Paul	\$1,700.00
Abberton, Edgar	3,800.00
Brown, Ralph	2,310.00
Brown, Norman A.	2,700.00
Brown, Arthur G.	1,940.00
Brown, Frank, Heirs	3,000.00
Batchelder, Marion M. (Vet.)	700.00
Blanchard, Donald (Vet.)	720.00
Boisvert, Joseph	900.00
Boisvert, George (Vet.)	370.00
Bowler, Leonard (Vet.)	
Baptist Parsonage	1,600.00
Batchelder, Jennie	300.00
Boyd, David	1,700.00
Bushman, Joseph	1,600.00
Bickford, Donald	200.00
Brooks, Earl T. (Vet.)	3,040.00
Byron, Robert	5,050.00
Church, James	1,100.00
Corliss, Russell (Vet.)	130.00
Cerveney, Frank J.	4,000.00

Capron, Everett	2,300.00
Cass, James T. (Vet.)	
Cass, Albi D.	50.00
Chase, Francis	5,010.00
Cogswell, Jeremiah, Heirs	1,650.00
Clough, David	2,870.00
Colby, Herman R. (Vet.)	2,850.00
Congregational Parsonage	900 00
Cochrane, W. J.	900.00
Cross, Brendon G.	1,400.00
Comée, Walter H., Jr.	4,500.00
Conpeal, Armond	50.00
Davis, Durward (Vet.)	1,300.00
Deos, Henry	2,140.00
DeRoche, Fred (Vet.)	120.00
Dickson, George P.	5,800.00
Dickson, Richard	1,020.00
Dodge, Grenville T. (Vet.)	2,300.00
Dodge, William	1,100.00
Davis, Clifford	2,000.00
Davis, Edward	200.00
Derbyshire, Frank	1,280.00
Doubleday, Joseph, Sr.	4,600.00
Doubleday, Joseph, Jr. (Vet.)	700.00
Dow, Frank II.	1,470.00
Emerson, John	120.00
Farrar, Elbert	2,230.00
Fife, Leon	2,870.00
Fife, Theodore	500.00
Fife, Clarence	2,400.00
Fife, Mrs. Mary E.	5,600.00
Fife, Raymond	1,500.00
Fife, Orville P. (Vet.)	800.00
Feltaut, Eugene W.	2,100.00
Finlay, Bernard (Vet.)	40.00
Finlay, Edward	2,370.00

Fountain, Joseph L.	250.00
Grace, George M. (Vet.)	4,250.00
Giles, G. H.	6,200.00
Gilman, C. L. & C., Jr.	220.00
Gilman, Charles, Sr.	4,290.00
Gilman, Lillian	500.00
Girard, Vernon P. (Vet.)	
Goodwin, Walter L. (Vet.)	200.00
Greenwood, Ernest	2,800.00
Guertin, James F. (Vet.)	
Guertin, Sabin N.	1,370.00
Guertin, Sabin W. (Vet.)	100.00
Glines, Raymond	15,630.00
Graham, J. Ralph, Jr.	25,850.00
Gould, Ernest W. (Vet.)	1,200.00
Gove, Grover	40.00
Geiger, Clarence A.	6,500.00
Grapes, Lyle A. (Vet.)	
Heath, Chester, Heirs	280.00
Heath, Colin M.	2,720.00
Heath & Fife	150.00
Hirtle, Bertha	330.00
Holmes, Iva, Heirs	800.00
Hirtle, Sterling	330.00
Hussey, Christabel	1,600.00
Hammet, Charles R. (Vet.)	
Hurd, Robert L. (Vet.)	1,500.00
Hildreth, Norton	2,800.00
Hildreth, Lucien	7,290.00
Hildreth, Sam B.	2,000.00
Haskell, Melvin H.	1,000.00
Haigh, George C.	500.00
Hanson, Albert P.	100.00
Hayward, Martin L.	1,200.00
Johanson Brothers	5,970.00
Kimball, F. E.	4,600.00
Kimball, Elsa P.	6,000.00

Keeler, Ralph, Jr.	2,700.00
Kenney, Walter A.	650.00
Lamprey, Harry N. (Vet.)	
Lamprey, Herbert N.	1,050.00
Lee, Robert Vernon (Vet.)	350.00
Lockwood, Fannie	1,000.00
Lee, Vernon, R. (Vet.)	600.00
Lahar, Benjamin, Vet.	2,200.00
Ladd, John W.	300.00
Lawrence, Lauren	1,600.00
Leaver, John	350.00
Landry, Wm. R. (Vet.)	
Logan, George	150.00
Morrill, Anson	440.00
Morrill, Louis D.	750.00
Morrill, C. Emery	4,400.00
Morrill, Ida L.	300.00
Maxfield, Frank	2,660.00
Malcolm, John (Vet.)	1,800.00
MacElroy, James	4,920.00
Minard, Archie	200.00
Muzzey, Elizabeth & Ken.	1,800.00
Muzzey, K. & N.	260.00
Muzzey, L. & K.	80.00
Maxson, Emily	2,750.00
Maxson, Waldo	300.00
Manning, Warren K. (Vet.)	2,500.00
N. H. Savings Bank	1,550.00
Nelson, Arthur	600.00
Nelson, Anton	8,100.00
Noyes, Ralph R.	2,380.00
Olson, Nils	1,800.00
Osborn, Edward L.	1,500.00
Pickard, Ernest	110.00
Pickard, Walter	650.00
Perkins, Herbert L.	6,000.00
Peverly, George D.	8,170.00

Plastridge, Frank C.	4,700.00
Plastridge, Walter	2,560.00
Plastridge Brothers	2,090.00
Piastridge & Clough	330.00
Preve, Raymond	3,030.00
Page, Ernest	500.00
Rancour, Charles S.	800.00
Rogers, Arthur	1,900.00
Rogers, Linwood (Vet.)	1,100.00
Rollins, Harvey	1,600.00
Rollins, Oscar	2,570.00
Russell, Joseph E.	2,050.00
Roberts, Dorothy	100.00
Sargent, Carl	900.00
Sargent, Harrison	250.00
Sargent, Harold W., Sr.	1,300.00
Scripture, Paul N.	2,020.00
Stevens, Vern	50.00
Stevens, Richard	1,000.00
Smith, Lillian	2,700.00
Stearns, Ethel B.	10,000.00
Stone, Philip K. (Vet.)	2,370.00
Thornton, Mark D.	100.00
Townsend, Marian	1,650.00
Townsend, Marian	100.00
Twombley, Joseph	120.00
Thunberg, Carl A. (Vet.)	2,900.00
Tallman, G. L.	1,290.00
Vogel, Albert	3,100.00
Van Blascom, Aubrey (Vet.)	
Vazzana, Hugh	10,000.00
Waldron, Charles	2,100.00
Waldron, Louisa	100.00
Wentworth, John R.	500.00
Walker, Charles H.	1,400.00
Weis, Otto	5,500.00
Witham, Ralph	200.00

Wilkins, Malcolm L.	3,500.00
Wilson, William	3,900.00
Wheeler, Bessie	1,600.00
Wheeler Brothers	15,050.00
Wheeler, William C.	1,800.00
Walles, Charles L.	3,300.00
Wells, Olaf	4,900.00

Asby, W. D.	\$1,600.00
Ayres, Audrey Vance	1,430.00
Ayres, Mrs. Marion	1,540.00
Berry, B. E.	7,000.00
Bennett, Harry	200.00
Bly, W. T. Administrator	200.00
Bolton, J. W., Heirs	200.00
Bolton, J. W., Jr.	1,400.00
Blake, Margaret E.	550.00
B. & M. Railroad	1,920.00
Bohl, Bertha	440.00
Braley, J. C..	400.00
Braley, Donald	40.00
Buckley, Bernard B.	200.00
Burroughs, Robert P.	13,990.00
Blunt, David T.	2,530.00
Blaney, Edward	1,540.00
Bowley, Arthur J.	330.00
Bourque,	700.00
Bartlett, Mary E.	2,200.00
Carter, Walter H.	170.00
Colby, Carroll	160.00
Colby, Arthur M.	440.00
Colburn, Abbie, Heirs	110.00
Concord Electric Co.	11,900.00
Chaplin, Charles, Heirs	110.00
Conant, S. S., Heirs	1,650.00

Concord Lumber Co.	700.00
Colby, Joseph	1,100.00
Clough, Harry	100.00
Couch, Perley M.	330.00
Cheever, R. W.	150.00
Douglas, Irving G.	200.00
Dodge, Katherine	330.00
Durgin, Mrs. Webster	90.00
Denippsy, Timothy G.	2,000.00
Dukette, Omer A.	450.00
Dearborn, Alvah J., Heirs	100.00
Dearborn, Clarence	1,200.00
Dube, Bernard	260.00
Dearborn, Wendell S.	480.00
Elfstrom Heirs	270.00
Ernst, Lorenz E.	1,650.00
Foster, Stephen R.	100.00
Fellows & Sons, Inc.	280.00
Fifield, Stuart G.	110.00
Frechette, Elzear P. (Vet.)	2,000.00
Fifield, Oliver B. (Vet.)	200.00
Farrell, Wm. P.	2,000.00
Grapes, Jesse	900.00
Guild, Frank E.	550.00
Green, Edwin T.	330.00
Glennie, William	100.00
Gilbert, Victor	100.00
Gearey, Paul A.	110.00
Hawkins, Reginald	250.00
Howes, L. G.	400.00
Houston, George E.	1,760.00
Hill, Annie	550.00
Hudson, A. Clifford	3,850.00
Humphrey, Orton	150.00
Haggett, Harold B.	110.00
Israel, Max	1,500.00
Judkins, Stanley R.	200.00

Jackman, Freeman	30.00
Jones, Paul C.	1,000.00
Janelle, Blanche	2,500.00
Jenkins, Frank H., Jr. (Vet.)	250.00
Jones, Everett H.	270.00
Jones, Harold	1,000.00
Kelso, James A.	130.00
Keeler, Rev. Ralph	3,300.00
Kenney, Nellie	1,660.00
Kimball, Frank E., Jr. (Vet.)	
Lord, Hiram C.	440.00
Loudon, Town of	180.00
Lovering, Frank O., Heirs	220.00
Lavery, Sadie	2,900.00
LaMere, Sam	170.00
Lukert, Eva	60.00
Lake, S. W. Estate	380.00
Landigan, Leo	80.00
Lyford, Ruby	50.00
Laconia Savings Bank	500.00
Morrill, Abbie, Heirs	330.00
Morrill, Alex	200.00
Moore, Karl C.	13,140.00
McKerley, James	200.00
McKerley, John R.	4,500.00
Marston, Don	440.00
Marshall, Walter	2,600.00
McCarron, Joseph C.	2,420.00
Moody, Dr. Hamden C.	2,500.00
McNee, William	700.00
Morrill, John H.	450.00
New England Box Co.	50.00
Neal, Ella, Heirs	200.00
N. H. Electric Cooperative	1,380.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	1,000.00
Neven, George	200.00
O'Connor, Mabel	110.00

Perry, Elizabeth	100.00
Pitfield, Emlen	100.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	50,290.00
Pile, Constance	2,600.00
Pearl, Leonard	480.00
Pollard, Edw. V.	2,500.00
Powers, Dr. Chas. T.	3,900.00
Reed, Lillian A.	490.00
Rolfe, Arthur, Heirs	330.00
Rowell, Winifred D.	110.00
Rule, Elmer F.	220.00
Rule, Emery, (Vet.)	1,500.00
Richards, Mrs. James	30.00
Rudkin, Thomas	1,800.00
Rheume, Ezra O.	50.00
Sanborn, Mrs. C. L., Heirs	50.00
Sargent, Martha R., Heirs.....	100.00
Smith, Mrs. Annie M.	1,700.00
Sharaf, Simeon	560.00
Spaulding, Wm., O., Heirs	50.00
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.	270.00
Sweet, Wm. W.	2,000.00
Sanborn, Percy	6,750.00
Stevens, Nellie	150.00
Stone, G. Edward	50.00
Scott, Earl E.	1,000.00
Sawyer, Orrine	2,500.00
Tasker, Ella M., Heirs	2,600.00
Tilton, Frank	50.00
Thompson, Basil W.	50.00
Unwin, Milo	110.00
Adm. of Veterans Affairs	2,800.00
Whelan, Augustine	2,080.00
Weeks, M. B.	660.00
Welcome, Henry	100.00
Yates, Matilda	2,000.00

IN CASE OF FIRE

TELEPHONE

CANTERBURY 2771

This number calls the "Red Telephones" a conference hook-up of 3 special lines in the Center. These telephones are so constructed that no outgoing calls can be made from them; therefore the line is never busy.

Call this number *only* to report a fire. Give your name, the exact location of the fire, and describe the fire carefully. Operators at the Center will call all necessary help. If outside help is needed, the proper equipment will be sent from the Department nearest the fire.

Don't hesitate to call us for any fire, or threat of fire, no matter how small. If you have a flooded oil burner, or a chimney fire, or a short circuit, don't wait to see what it's going to do. Just call Canterbury 2771. We're at your service day or night.

CANTERBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT